

## FLOODS COST 8 MORE LIVES

Arkansas Rivers Overflow  
and Engulf  
Towns

MORE THAN \$10,000,000  
DAMAGE DONE

The Situation Along the  
Mississippi Valley Grows  
Worse

Helena, Ark., Feb. 3.—Ten million dollars damage to property and loss of eight lives was the estimate yesterday of the toll in the flood sweeping through Arkansas, covering Desha, Lincoln, Ashley, Chicot and 11 parishes in northern Louisiana from six to 15 feet.

A report from Lake Village said part of the levee broke Tuesday night, flooding the main streets.

Arkansas City is partly under water. The levee broke at Varner and the town is flooded. Newport, Ark., reports a flood loss of \$50,000.

Three hundred men are working at Laclede, Mo., but the levee is sloughing and threatening to break.

Hickman, Ky., yesterday had two feet of water in the business streets. New Madrid, Mo., is under water, and a levee break is threatened at Caruthersville, Mo. Several weakened places are reported in the levee at points near Vicksburg.

Freezing weather caused much suffering among the homeless. Rescue work was hampered by swift currents in the back waters and high winds which hampered boats. The crest of the Arkansas flood yesterday was near Little Rock.

William Stapleton, Ohio river captain, was drowned near Memphis while attempting rescue work in a gasoline launch.

## HEIR APPARENT COMMITTS SUICIDE

Crown Prince Yusoff Izzedin Ended His  
Life by Severing Arteries,  
Berlin Hears.

London, Feb. 3.—The suicide of Yusoff Izzedin, heir apparent to the Turkish throne, is reported in a despatch received by Reuters' Telegram company from Constantinople by way of Berlin. The message says the crown prince ended his life by cutting arteries, in his palace at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. His health is given as the reason.

McCall Withdraws.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 3.—The name of Governor Samuel W. McCall of Massachusetts was withdrawn yesterday at his request as a candidate in the Minnesota presidential primaries.

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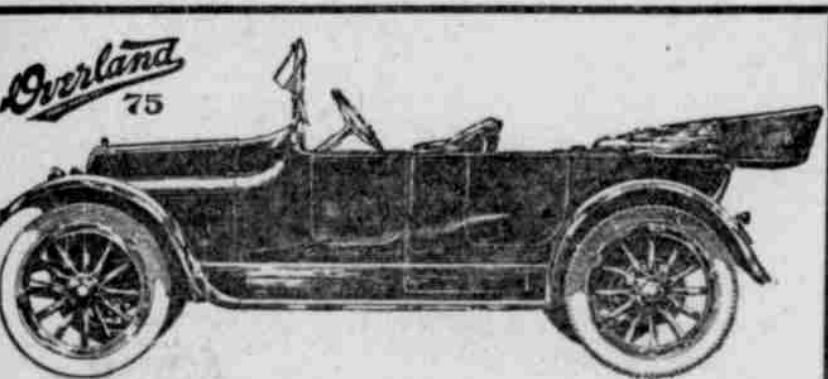
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## BRITISH RUSH WAR- SHIPS TO CAPTURE SEA RAIDER

The Mysterious German Ship Has De-  
stroyed Shipping Worth  
\$3,500,000.

London, Feb. 3.—Stung by the realization of the fact that the mysterious German sea raider has already caused the loss of British vessels worth \$3,500,000, every warship in reach has been ordered to scour the Atlantic, especially along the African coast, in search of her.

Aside from the seriousness of the danger to British shipping, naval authorities feel humiliation and chagrin that such a vessel should be able to sail the seas.

The feat of the raider in getting through the British North sea blockade to the open Atlantic and that of the Appam in avoiding the supposedly impenetrable patrols at both ends of the ocean lanes has astounded those who had firm faith in the completeness of British naval plans.

The Appam is declared by the marine underwriters to be a war loss, pending the settlement of the diplomatic questions involved.

## SAYS APPAM CARRIED \$2,500,000 IN BULLION

The Gold Will Probably Be Claimed as  
a Prize by Ger-  
many.

London, Feb. 3.—It is understood here that the Appam carried \$2,500,000 in bullion, which probably will be claimed as a prize, as bullion is contraband.

## TOWBOAT SINKS, 17 OF CREW LOST

The Sam Brown Goes Down After Boiler  
Explosion Near Hunting-  
ton, W. Va.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 3.—The Sam Brown, a Pittsburgh towboat, sank within a few minutes after her boilers exploded in the Ohio river, opposite this city, yesterday. Only six men of a crew of 23 were saved.

## ANTI-WAR FACTION IN CANADA.

Parliament Hears Defenders of Neutral-  
ity Views.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 3.—Henri Bourassa and his policy that Canada has no right to participate in the war, were defended in Parliament Tuesday night by Paul Lamarche, Nationalist member for Nicolet, Quebec.

Mr. Lamarche held that Bourassa simply stood to-day where Canadian statesmen stood in the past. He quoted from past speeches of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to show that the Liberal leader had held the anti-British views that Bourassa and Lavergne are preaching now.

## FLAG TO COME DOWN IN PHILIPPINES

President Wilson Declares That It Will  
Do So, as It Has Done  
in Cuba.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 3.—President Wilson declared that the American flag would come down in the Philippines as it had done in Cuba, "as soon as we feel the Philippines can take over their own affairs and our protection is not longer required."

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GRANITEVILLE

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## "APOLOGY" CUT FROM TREATY

\$10,000,000 Is Lopped Off  
Colombian Indemnity

Also

## OTHERWISE THE TREATY GETS O. K.

Reported Favorably to Sen-  
ate—Borah Will  
Fight It

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—After cutting the proposed indemnity from \$25,000,000 to \$15,000,000, and changing the "apology" of the United States to an expression of "mutual regret," the Senate foreign relations committee yesterday favorably reported the proposed Colombian treaty. The vote was 8 to 7.

Clark of Arkansas being the only Democrat to vote against the administration plan.

Senator Borah immediately announced that he would move the consideration of the treaty in open instead of secret session.

The original proposed treaty made the United States regret that anything should have intervened to injure the friendly relations between the United States and Colombia.

As amended yesterday, the clause makes the people of Colombia and the United States "mutually regret" the actions of President Roosevelt in regard to the recognition of Panama and the obtaining of rights for the construction of the canal.

The vote on the treaty in committee was: For—Stone, Hitchcock, O'Gorman, Williams, Swanson, Pomerene, Smith of Arizona, Saulsbury of Delaware. Against—Lodge, Smith of Michigan, Sutherland, Borah, Brandegee, Oliver and Clarke of Arkansas.

The Nicaraguan treaty proposing the payment of \$3,000,000 for all canal rights also was reported favorably, the vote being 10 to 3. Democrats argued that this treaty will prevent the possibility of a competing canal, while Republicans contend it is to finance the present Nicaraguan administration with which the United States forces are friendly.

## WILSON TALKS SPELL SUCCESS

Even Opponents in Congress Admit He  
Must Know More Than They  
Do as to Nation's Per-  
il of War.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Wilson's speeches and their effect on preparedness and party politics are being discussed freely at the capitol. Aside from the partisan viewpoint it is becoming more evident that they will have a tendency to strengthen the cause of national defense.

Exponents of this policy have practically no doubt that a liberal programme for preparedness will be provided. This is certain to be true of the navy, and the outlook is becoming more favorable for army legislation. The widely divergent opinions among believers in preparedness, as to what ought to be done about the land forces have not been reconciled—and cannot be without a great deal more discussion.

In both House and Senate naval committees, the sentiment is overwhelming in favor of large expansion of the navy. The Senate military committee is pronouncedly for preparedness, and a majority of the House committee on military affairs is of the same temper.

The situation with regard to the effect of the president's speeches, as it was set forth yesterday by one Republican senator who has been unfriendly to preparedness, is that it is being made increasingly difficult for members to stand out against a reasonable program of national defense and go back home and explain their course.



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Father John's Medicine  
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## RULE ON UNFAIR COMPETITION

Federal Trade Commission to Issue a  
Series of Findings Defining Meth-  
ods in General Commer-  
cial Relations.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The federal trade commission, created last year with wide powers over commerce, will issue within a few days a series of rulings defining unfair competition. These rulings will cover some 40 cases investigated under that section of the law empowering the commission to prevent unfair trade methods.

Many cases have been settled, it was learned yesterday, without formal action by the commission, some concerns against whom complaint was made yielding rather than fight. Two hundred applicants for complaints are before the commission now.

When complaint is made of unfair competition, the commission issues a formal complaint, if it considers public interest demands it, citing the concern complained against to appear within 40 days and show why an order should not be issued instructing it to desist from unfair practices. If the defendant fights the case, a hearing is held. The commission's decision then is subject to review by the circuit court of appeals, which passes on points of law alone. An appeal may be had from the circuit court to the United States supreme court.

The commission is making economic investigations now in these industries: Fertilizer, beet sugar, pipe lines, and lumber. Reports on all will be forthcoming soon, it was said yesterday.

## WASHINGTON'S VISTAS MENACED BY STACKS

Proposal to Erect Four Great Chimneys  
for Power Plant Amid  
Park System.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—Congress proposes to erect a power plant on the Washington water front, in the midst of the park system, despite protests by the federal art commission. Four smokestacks 200 feet high, 15 feet in diameter, costing \$1,000,000, would dominate every vista. Both the American Federation of Arts and the American Institute of Architects are protesting against this serious detriment to the beauty of Washington. The question is to be decided this morning in conference.

## QUAIL DISEASE Has Caused Suspension of Permits for Entry of Birds.

Owing to the prevalence of quail disease among quail imported from Mexico at the ports of New York, N. Y., and Eagles Pass, Tex., during the past month, the department of agriculture has suspended issue of further permits for entry of these birds this season. Quail in shipments actually en route to the United States on Jan. 20 will be admitted to quarantine, but no further entries will be authorized. Most of the states now have such stringent game laws that it is practically impossible to purchase quail even for propagating purposes in the United States and dealers have sought quail elsewhere, especially in northwestern Mexico, where quail occur in abundance, but Mexican quail on arrival at destination are frequently found infected with quail disease. So fatal is this disease that when it once appears most of the birds which are exposed to it die within a few days. In one shipment of 196 quail which recently reached New York only three birds survived the voyage, and in another of about 160 birds, more than two-thirds of the number died shortly after arrival. More than one-third of all the Mexican quail imported last year died within a few months. To guard against spread of quail disease live quail purchased for propagation should be kept under observation for two or three weeks and should not be liberated if infected with disease. The department desires to ascertain the result of experiments which have been made in importing quail this year and will be glad to receive information as to the condition of the birds and as to how many have died in any locality where the quail have been introduced.

Before next season the department will hold a public hearing in Washington, D. C., for the purpose of determining whether or not further permits for importation of quail from Mexico will be issued, at which various questions connected with the importation of quail will be carefully considered. Ample notice of this hearing will be given later in order that those who are interested may arrange to be present or to submit written statements.

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## LIFELONG RESIDENT OF TOWN.

Henry Mason Wilcox Died in Westmin-  
ster at Age of 83.

Westminster West, Feb. 3.—Henry Mason Wilcox, 83, one of the oldest residents of the town, died yesterday of pneumonia, in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Rollin Ranney. He was taken ill Friday and pneumonia developed Sunday.

Mr. Wilcox was born here and was a lifelong resident of the place, formerly being actively engaged in farming. His wife died a number of years ago.

Besides his daughter Mr. Wilcox leaves two sons, Fred of Springfield, Mass., and Arthur of Montana, a sister, Mrs. Henry Minard of Westminster West, and a brother, James, of Westminster.

The funeral will be held at the house Friday at 1 o'clock.

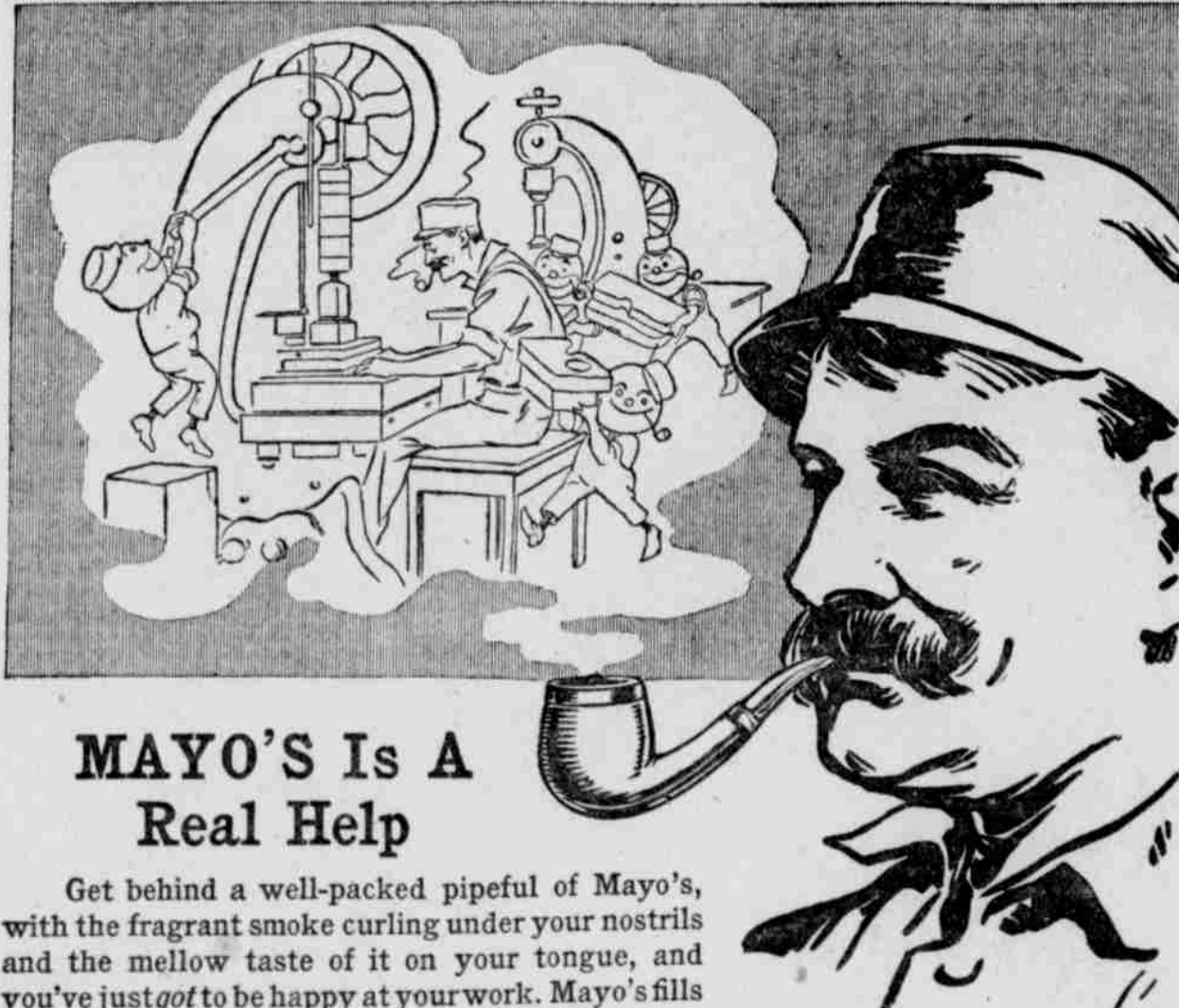
## RICHARD OLNEY, 2D, HAS TARIFF COM- MISSION BILL

Objects to Administration Measure  
On Ground It Has No  
Teeth.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Representative Richard Olney 2nd, the first Democrat to introduce a non-partisan tariff commission bill, considers the administrative bill, which was introduced in the House yesterday by Representative Rainey of Illinois, to be without teeth since it gives the commission no power to make recommendations.

Mr. Olney strongly believes that his

bill responds more definitely and clearly to the wants and demands of the working man and industrial business than the administrative bill. The Olney bill, for instance, delegates powers to the commission to make recommendations to Congress for revision of tariff schedules, where necessary, and compatible with the interests affected by foreign competition; whereas, the administrative bill, having powers of investigation, is given no powers of recommendation. Mr. Olney, three years ago in appearing before the ways and means committee, strongly advocated a sliding reduction of the tariff until a proper and basic foundation could be reached. While fully appreciating the good points in the Underwood bill he believes that after the war is over a few possible defects might be revealed which a tariff commission could remedy by its recommendations to Congress.



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